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Executive Officer to the DD/S

4 March 1965

Chief, Records Administration Staff

Quarterly Report For The Records Administration Staff

The following is a condensed report of our activities for the period 1 October 1964 - 1 January 1965. A detailed report is available in our files.

- 1. Arranged for the transfer of selected records to the National Archives for the Kennedy Memorial Library.
- 2. Prepared a staff study on the feasibility of establishing a USIB Records Center. The study was concurred in by the Records Officers of State, DIA, AEC and CIA and forwarded to the Executive Secretary of CODIB.
- 3. Approved special equipment and/or shelving projects for OC, OTR, OS, OO and NPIC. Savings of \$5300 realized from the OS project.
- 4. Approved secure area space in Key Building for Office of Finance.
- 5. Completed review and approved the revision of Records Schedules for OTR, OS, OCI, OP, FBID, Office of Finance, TBD and OCR. Of 1,344 cubic feet of records in FBID, 25% are considered permanent. In OTR only 1% of 3,435 cubic feet of records are considered permanent.
- 6. A Forms and procedures survey of OCR was completed. Some of the results were:
- a. Eighteen forms, representing 48,000 pieces of paper each year, were eliminated.
 - b. Developed 29 new forms which replaced 70 bootleg forms.
 - c. Developed a special 10 part form to replace slow, costly procedures. Savings of at least \$500 per year resulted.
- 7. Completed 90 new and 51 revised forms projects. Eliminated 8 official forms.

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- 8. Net records holdings in the Center at the end of December were 84,425 cubic feet. This is an increase of 725 cubic feet over the previous quarter.
- 9. Requests for service on records stored at the Center amounted to 25,545.
- 10. Designed a new message form for the Office of Communications. This form will be tested world-wide and if satisfactory it will replace 3 forms currently used.
- 11. The Forms and Procedures Survey of CRR continues. A total of 389 forms (135 official 254 bootleg) are being studied.
- 12. Reviewed and approved Vital Records Deposit Schedules for CGS/DDI, WH/DDP, OCS/DDS&F and OC.
 - 13. Handled two official requests from National Archives:
 - a. Request for return of Captured German records to Germany.
 - b. Request for downgrading of OSS records relating to art looting by Germany in World War II.

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